



Friday 3rd July 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our Geography topic, Year 1 will be visiting New Brighton Beach. The visit will take place on **Monday 20th July** during normal school hours. This will be an extremely valuable experience for the children's Geography learning as they will be able to compare Northwich with New Brighton Beach. It will also be lots of fun!

A coach with fitted seat belts will transport the children to the car park at the beach. The coach will be leaving at 9.15am so please arrive at school promptly. We will return before the end of the school day at 3.15 pm.

Children will need to wear their **school P.E. kits and bring a ruck sack**. Children will need to bring a packed lunch and a separate water bottle in their ruck sack. If your child requires a school packed lunch, please indicate on the return slip below. If you would like to order a school packed lunch for your child, all orders must be made by Friday 10th July using the reply slip below. Following Natasha's Law, packed lunches cannot be ordered from the kitchen on the day of the trip.

When we arrive at the beach we will ensure children have been to the toilet before starting the day's activities. To begin, we will take a walk to the beach and have a snack (provided by school) on the beach. We will then have some time to play in the sand and make sandcastles. During this time, one group at a time will walk to the sea and paddle at the edge, if water conditions allow. Children will paddle under the supervision of an adult and only go into the water to ankle height. We will have our lunch on picnic blankets on the beach. After this, we will walk along the promenade to look at Liverpool, another different geographical location, and visit the fairy garden in the park. All aspects of the visit will be fully risk assessed.

Children can bring a bucket and spade to use at the beach. They will need to carry these to the beach and around the park so we suggest they are small enough to put in their ruck sack or put in a plastic bag to carry.

We would really appreciate your help by coming with us. Please indicate below if you are able to attend. If we have more adults volunteer than places on the coach, we will draw names out of a hat.

The cost of the visit will be £13.50. Please pay this via gateway.

Yours sincerely,
Mrs Burrows, Mrs Ford and Mrs Turner

Year 1 visit to Formby Beach on Monday 20th July 2026.

I give permission for _____ to attend New Brighton Beach on Monday 20th July.

I do/do not give permission for my child to paddle in the sea in a group of 6 with an adult.

I do/do not give permission for my child's photograph/video to be taken and I understand that it may go onto the school's website, and Facebook page and also be shared in the press.

My child requires a school packed lunch yes / no ham / cheese / tuna (Order by Friday 10th July)

I _____ (name and relationship to child) can attend.

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